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Re: SN 09/910,428 entitled "DNA MARKER FOR CATTLE GROWTH" by
Chad S. Hale et al.; Client Ref. 00UMC016
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Commissioner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

1. A Petition for Extension of Time, Amendment and Request for Reconsideration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111, with appendices A and B;
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